

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



**CORRECTED  
FISCAL NOTE**

**HB 3605 - SB 3688**

March 12, 2010

**SUMMARY OF BILL:** Authorizes the Comptroller to require persons applying for employment to agree to the release of investigative records for the purpose of verifying criminal violation information, supply a fingerprint sample, and submit to a criminal history check conducted by the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation (TBI).

**ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:**

On March 10, 2010, we issued a fiscal note stating *increase state revenue \$1,000/TBI Departmental Revenue, increase state expenditures \$1,000/General Fund*. According to corrected information received from the Comptroller's office, the fiscal impact is as follows:

**(CORRECTED)**

**Increase State Revenue - \$1,000/TBI Departmental Revenue**

**Decrease State Expenditures – \$100/General Fund**

**Assumptions:**

- According to the Comptroller and TBI, approximately 25 applicants per year will require a fingerprint sample. Samples are \$40. The Comptroller will pay TBI approximately \$1,000 per year to conduct history records checks (25 applicants x \$40).
- According to the Comptroller, these checks are currently conducted by a private firm that charges approximately \$44.50 per check (25 applicants x \$44.50 = \$1,112.50).
- State expenditures to the Comptroller are estimated to decrease \$112.50 (\$1,112.50 - \$1,000).
- State revenue to TBI is estimated to increase \$1,000.

**CERTIFICATION:**

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James W. White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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